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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK		
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	
- v -	:	<u>AFFIRMATION</u>
TERRICK WASHINGTON,	:	15 Mag. 4276
Defendant.	: x	
STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK) : ss.:)

Marcia S. Cohen, under penalty of perjury, hereby affirms as follows:

- 1. I am an Assistant United States Attorney in the Southern District of New York. I submit this affirmation in support of an application for a sixth order of continuance of the time within which an indictment or information would otherwise have to be filed, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(7)(A).
- TERRICK WASHINGTON, the defendant, was charged with a violation of 18
 U.S.C. § 2422 in a complaint dated November 30, 2015. The defendant was presented before
 Magistrate Judge Lisa Margaret Smith on December 1, 2015, and the defendant was detained.
- 3. Jason Ser, Esq., attorney for the defendant, has since been engaging in preliminary discussions with the Government concerning a possible disposition of this case without trial, and those discussions are ongoing. The Government hereby requests that a continuance of 28 days be granted, during which time we may pursue further discussions.
- 4. On May 17, 2016, I spoke with Mr. Ser, counsel for the defendant, who agreed on behalf of the defendant that the requested continuance of 28 days is appropriate in these

circumstances.

- 5. For the reasons stated above, the ends of justice served by the granting of the continuance requested outweigh the best interests of the public and defendant in a speedy trial.
- 6. Pursuant to Title 28, United States Code, Section 1746, I declare under penalties of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on May 17, 2016.

Marcia S. Cohen

Assistant United States Attorney